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Madrid Jan 29/83

My dear Mr Inman

Mr Lewis begs to thank you, for your kindness in forwarding the Manuscript to Mrs Parsons Sandford, and I am sure you be in as much obliged to you, as if your efforts to serve him had been successful

I must now ask your pardon for my negligence in not acknowledging the receipt of the Cheque sincerity. I have no excuse to offer, but a slight indisposition, with the constant accompaniment of my old enemy nervousness

I am very sorry that for the present, I have no hope of seeing you in Madrid. I cannot tell you how dis appointed I am that you are not coming here, I had so calculated upon the pleasure of seeing my dear

dear, kind, unknown friend.

Being my concept of your health,
for the climate of Egypt is new to you

With love to your wife, believe
me to remain

Yours very sincerely
Tommy Kouto de Leanes

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